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The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni Chief Clerk

**South Carolina Public Service Commission** 

Synergy Business Park, Saluda Building 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

RE:

Application of Wyboo Plantation Utilities, Inc.for Approval of New

Schedule of Rates and Charges for Water and Sewer Services

Docket No. 2005-13-W/S, ELS File No. 1015-10306

Dear Mr. Terenni:

I just received notice of a night hearing to be scheduled for November 1, 2006 in this docket. Unfortunately, I have a longstanding commitment to attend an intellectual property litigation seminar presented by the Defense Research Institute in Florida on November 1, 2, and 3. Attendance of this seminar is very important to my practice, and I have already made financial arrangements for the seminar, travel, and lodging.

For these reasons, I respectfully request that the Commission schedule this night hearing some day other than November 1, 2, or 3. Since the Commission may rule upon this application at any time prior to February 17, 2007, granting this request should not serve as an imposition upon the Commission or any party.

With kind regards, I am

Yours truly,

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